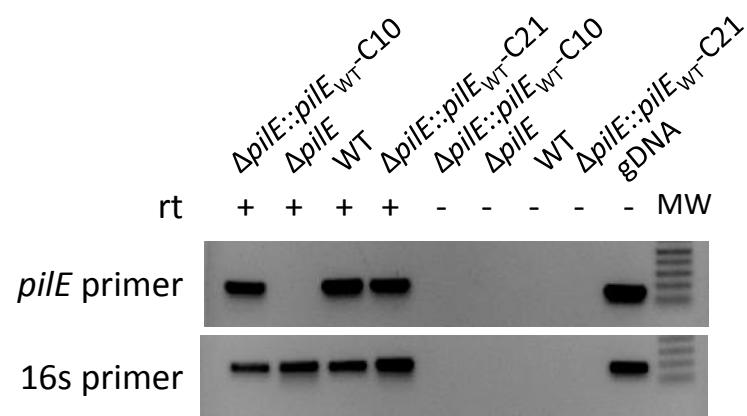


## SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURE 3



**SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURE 3.** Nmus  $\Delta pilE$  does not produce  $pilE$  mRNA. WT: parental wild type *N. musculi*; AP2365 $\Delta pilE::pilE_{WT}$ -C10 and AP2365 $\Delta pilE::pilE_{WT}$ -C21:  $pilE$  complemented strains; rt: reverse transcriptase; gDNA: genomic DNA control.